

Paragraphs 3 and 7 of ORE Planning and Programming Projects
(Tab "C") Progress Report for April

3. Foreign Broadcast Intelligence Branch:

FBIB Office of Operations: Pursuant to established policies governing the activities of FBIB, that office invited ORE comments on its program for its Special Reports Division. The proposed program involves additional processing of collected foreign broadcast material including:

- (1) Preparation of resumes and summaries;
- (2) Condensations;
- (3) Compilation of extracts along selected topical lines;
- (4) Comparison of propaganda lines, either periodically or country-wise.

Processing would be restricted to factual analysis. Any doubt as to the nature of analysis requested by a using agency would be decided by ORE. Any interpretive analysis of material furnished by FBIB would be prepared by and specified as the product of ORE.

7. Transfer of Special Documents Section (SDS) and German Military Documents Section (GMDS) to CIG:

At the request of the Intelligence Division, WDGS, the Central Intelligence Group in a memorandum to the Director of Intelligence, WDGS, dated 7 February 1947, stated its willingness to take over the document exploitation responsibilities of the Special Documents Section (SDS) and German Military Documents Section (GMDS) under certain specified conditions. The Director of Intelligence concurred in the plan of the CIG to assume the intelligence functions of the GMDS and the SDS in a memorandum to the Director of Central Intelligence dated 20 March 1947. He stipulated, however, that the Industrial Card File (ICF) now conducted by SDS should be continued.

The Advisor for Management has prepared a draft memorandum for the Director of Intelligence, WDGS, stating that the CIG will plan to assume responsibility for the existing intelligence functions of the GMDS and the SDS effective 31 May 1947, and designating the Assistant Director for Operations, CIG, as the representative of the Director of Central Intelligence to coordinate with the Intelligence Division in arranging the details of the transfer of the subject functions by 31 May. This draft has been concurred in by General Sibert and Mr. Huddle.

This office is participating in conferences with CIG offices

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concerned in the development of a detailed plan which will include delineation of these document center functions within CIG, as well as a statement of long-range objectives. Primary responsibility for the preparation of these statements is assigned to the Office of Operations.